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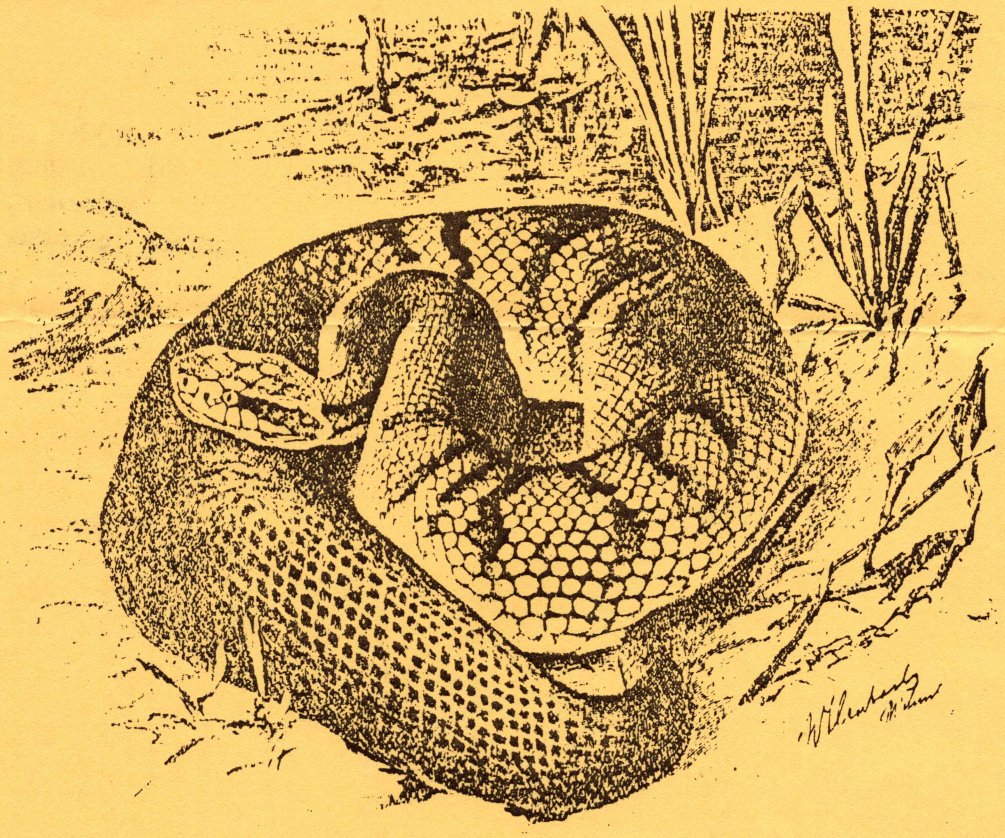
# Handbook of Snakes



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The bibliography is a detailed list of 3500 references arranged in several sections. There is a general list given chronologically and divided into named periods; a list of literature according to life zones and ecological classifications; and finally a geographic listing by state and province. The extensive bibliography on pitvipers in Klauber's *Rattlesnakes* overlaps only slightly with the Wrights' list so that together these two works provide the most complete bibliography of the snakes of North America.

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